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TAGS: PORG, HA

SUBJECT: HAITIAN CANDIDACY FOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF FAO

1. GOH HAS REQUESTED SUPPORT OF U.S. GOVERNMENT FOR HAITI'S CANDIDACY TO ONE OF THE POSITIONS RESERVED FOR LATIN AMERICA ON THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE U.N. THE ELECTION WILL TAKE PLACE IN ROME IN NOVEMBER 1975. REQUEST WAS MADE IN NOTE NO. 11C/915 DATED SEPTEMBER 29, 1975.

2. INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF TEXT OF NOTE IS AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE...AND HAS THE HONOR TO DRAW ITS ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT IN NOVEMBER 1973, THE HAITIAN GOVERNMENT, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE COUNTRIES WHO HAD BEEN WAITING A LONG TIME, WITHDREW ITS CANDIDACY TO A SEAT ON THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

QUOTE SINCE HAITI HAS NEVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL SINCE THE CREATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS' SPECIALIZED INSTITUTION, OF WHICH HAITI IS A FOUNDING MEMBER, THE GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED THIS YEAR TO RENEW ITS CANDIDACY TO ONE OF THE PLACES RESERVED FOR THE LATIN AMERICAN GROUP. THEREFORE SHE IS REQUESTING THE HELP OF THE ILLUSTRIOUS GOVERNMENT OF THE USA, AT THE TIME OF THE ELECTIONS WHICH WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THE EIGHTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE U.N. AT ROME IN NOVEMBER 1975. END QUOTE.

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3. THIS IS ONE OF FEW TIMES HAITI HAS PROPOSED ITS CANDIDACY

AS COUNCIL MEMBER OF ANY INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.  
ACCORDINGLY, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT, UNLESS PREVIOUS COMMITMENT  
TO ANOTHER CANDIDATE HAS BEEN MADE, WE SUPPORT HAITI.  
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